

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE BILL ANALYSIS

AMENDMENT DATE: May 28, 2009
POSITION: Support, suggest amendments
SPONSOR: Department of Justice

BILL NUMBER: SB 149
AUTHOR: C. Kehoe
RELATED BILLS: AB 93 (De Leon)

BILL SUMMARY: Claim Against the State: Appropriation

This bill, an urgency measure, would appropriate \$110,464 General Fund for the payment of a specified settlement.

FISCAL SUMMARY

This bill would appropriate \$110,464.40 General Fund to the Department of Justice for the payment of:

- A settlement in the amount of \$110,464.40 for the case of Maternal and Child Health Access v. Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board, San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CPF-08-508296.

Any funds appropriated in excess of the amounts required for the payment of this claim would revert to the General Fund.

COMMENTS

We support this Department of Justice claims bill, as it would provide the vehicle for payment for various settlements and a judgment that were previously approved by the Administration. However, Finance suggests a technical amendment that clarify that any funds appropriated in excess of the amounts actually required for the payment of the claim would revert to the General Fund on June 30 of the fiscal year in which the final payment is made, which is consistent with the language contained in AB 93 (De Leon).

Code/Department Agency or Revenue Type	SO	(Fiscal Impact by Fiscal Year)							
	LA	(Dollars in Thousands)							
	CO	PROP							Fund
	RV	98	FC	2009-2010	FC	2010-2011	FC	2011-2012	Code
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Suggested Amendments
SB 149 (As amended May 28, 2009)

Add the following language:

SEC. X. The Legislature intends to appropriate funds for the payment of claims against the state presented by the Attorney General. Any funds appropriated in excess of the amounts actually required for the payment of a claim shall revert to the General Fund on June 30 of the fiscal year in which the payment is made.